

## MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Director of Children and Family Services

At its meeting held July 15, 2003, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"On July 8, 2003, two siblings died of heat exposure after being left unattended for several hours in a vehicle parked outside of a Lancaster daycare center. The brothers, ages 3 and 5, were the foster children of the owners of this facility."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board took the following actions:

- 1. Made a finding that significant exposure to litigation exists pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(b) regarding the placement and subsequent death of two foster brothers, ages 3 and 5, who died of heat exposure after being left unattended for several hours in a vehicle parked outside of their foster parents' Lancaster daycare center; and
- Instructed the County Counsel and Director of Children and Family Services to report back to the Board on July 15, 2003, in Closed Session regarding the incident.

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